IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application of: Aberg et al.

Application No.: 09/447,218

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

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Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Notice of Appeal mailed <u>June 8, 2001</u>, be extended for a period of three (3) months from August 8, 2001, up to and including <u>November 8, 2001</u>.

The fee for this extension is estimated to be \$920.00. Please charge the required fee to Pennie & Edmonds LLP Deposit Account No. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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